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	COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
	Application Number	10/566,781
	Filing Date	January 31, 2006
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I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

INCREMENTAL GEAR FOR BAR CLAMP

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto

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PCT/EP2004/008640	WO	08/02/2004	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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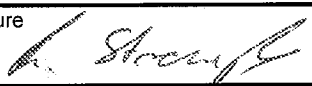
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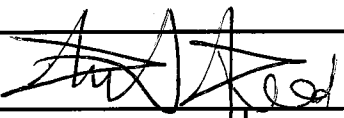
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